

## In the Field of Sport

TIGERS DEFEAT  
AGGIES, 48-18,  
IN FIRST GAME

That Was Expected to Prove  
Hardest Game of Whole  
Season Turns In-  
to Riot.

## HIGHEST SCORE OF YEAR

Captain Browning, Williams and  
Bunker Star in Missouri's  
Perfect Offense  
and Defense.

Special to The Missouriian.  
MANHATTAN, Kan., Feb. 12.—Manhattan basketball followers witnessed the most decisive upset of the conference season here last evening when the Missouri Tigers routed the Kansas Aggies 48 to 18. It was the most crushing defeat the Aggies have received at the hands of a valley team in three years, and it was made doubly decisive by the fact that it was played on the Manhattan floor.

According to the Tiger coaches, the Missourians played better basketball last night than at any other time this season. It was the largest crowd the Columbia five has rolled up against an opposing team this season. The Tiger offensive, with Williams as the pivot man, passed the ball around the Aggies at will and scored with remarkable proficiency. After the first ten minutes of play, when the Missourians threw counters from all corners of the floor, a ten-point margin separated the two teams at all times.

Coaches Cleaver and Reby used every man who was in a suit ready to go, and every one added something to the total score. Center Williams as usual scored a goodly portion of free throws and counted seven baskets from the free-throw line in the Washington series of last week, the opposition was unable to hold the Missouri center, his bulk and speed aiding him in answering many points.

Capt. George Browning returned to his old form and was the high scorer of the M. U. quintet for the first half. The Missouri defense, however, was the most potent factor in the victory. Coffey and Bunker halted every drive of the Cowell brothers, Blunger, Jennings and Knostman. Bunker is said by Manhattan fans to be the best guard seen here this season. Coffey also showed up extremely well on offense.

In the minds of the local followers of the team which they figured would trounce the Missourians, there is only one explanation in addition to that of the wonderful form of the Tigers. The Aggies were way off form in shooting field goals. Coach Knott believes that by this evening his tribe will be able to give the Tigers an excellent run for their money.

By virtue of the win last evening the Missouri entrants are now standing alone at the head of the Missouri Valley race. Nebraska lost a game to Ames on Wednesday night, while the Aggies have now suffered two defeats, and Missouri has a clean sheet.

**ST. LOUIS U. HAS NEW COACH**  
Steve O'Rourke, of St. Mary's, Will Take Up Duties in June.

Steve O'Rourke, director of athletics at St. Mary's College, St. Mary's, Kan., yesterday signed a two-year contract to become coach of all athletic sports at St. Louis University, succeeding Charles M. Rademacher.

The agreement was reached following a conference between O'Rourke and Athletic Director Failer Hermann in St. Louis yesterday afternoon. O'Rourke will return to St. Louis to take up his duties about the middle of June.

**\$61 More to Near East Relief.**  
The Fortnightly Club donated \$61 to the Near East Relief fund at its meeting Wednesday night. This sum is sufficient to care for one orphan for a year.

**Students Study Poverty.**  
Forty-four members of the American history class of the University High School, accompanied by their student assistants, Miss Lois Freish, and Miss Ruby Dill Hulett, went to the County Infirmary in connection with their study of poverty yesterday.

U. HIGH LOSES TO SEDALIA  
Final Score 28 to 13—Best Players  
Incapacitated for Game.

The University High School basketball team lost to Sedalia last night 28 to 13. The game was fast all the way through and especially so in the first period when the University team led. The last half went to the visitors from the start.

The high school five has not been on its feet since the game with Sedalia last Saturday. While in Sedalia the members of the team ate something that gave them a touch of ptomaine and has incapacitated them from efficient playing.

Cheavens was on the sick list through injuries. Holloway was sick and Ricks was called home on account of illness in his family.

WINS OVER THE CYCLONES  
Nebraska Team Is Victorious With a 32-to-23 Score.

Having dropped from the top position in the Valley race by virtue of a defeat by Ames Wednesday night, the Nebraska five came back last evening and won from the Cyclones by a 32 to 23 score.

Kansas defeated the Washington Flyers both on Wednesday and Thursday evenings at Lawrence. The score of the second game was 46 to 17.

**ENGLAND AFTER GREEK OIL**  
France Too Wants Concessions in Newly Discovered Field.

By United Press.  
ATHENS, Feb. 12.—Discovery of valuable oil-bearing deposits in various parts of Thrace and around Epirus has injected new difficulties into the political situation of the Levant.

England and France are both endeavoring to secure concessions which will strengthen their strategic naval position and at the same time make Greece economically dependent upon them.

According to authoritative information from Americans who have been investigating the situation in the Levant and Near East, the United States is virtually blocked so far as oil holdings are concerned. France, England, Holland and Italy have "cornered" every known prospect in Mesopotamia, Roumania, Turkey and the Black Sea region.

Thus far, foreign capitalists have not completely cornered the Greek prospects, chiefly because of their "unknown quality." Propositions for the flotation of a loan to Greece, made by British financiers in the last few days, are reported to specify concessions in oil should the discoveries prove of commercial value.

That Greece will favor British interests is a foregone conclusion.

WHEAT IN GOOD CONDITION  
Cotton Picking Has Made Good Progress in Mild Weather.

Winter wheat is generally in good condition in the United States according to F. A. Logan, agricultural statistician for Missouri, and Jewell Mayes, secretary of the State Board of Agriculture. A heavy damp snow fell on the eastern slopes of Colorado north of the Arkansas river, which will benefit the crop and supply much needed moisture. A good covering of snow would have benefited the crop, but on account of the mild weather very few complaints have been made of damage from alternate freezing and thawing.

Cotton picking has made good progress under favorable weather conditions. Some still remains in the fields, but this is generally of low grade and a portion of it may not be gathered.

The rice crop is doing well, with little damage reported. The acreage of fall oats is less than usual, but the crop is doing well. Some seeding is being done in South Carolina, Mississippi and Oklahoma.

Livestock is in good condition, due to the mild winter and ample feed. Fewer cattle are being fed than usual. Hay is plentiful and new clover seedlings are in good condition.

## THE CALENDAR

Feb. 11, 12 and 13—State conference of Student Volunteer Band in Columbia. Feb. 14, 15 and 16—Sherwood Eddy, on tour of state universities, lectures in University Auditorium.  
Feb. 15—Banquet by Boone County Medical Association commemorating the eightieth anniversary of Dr. A. W. McAlister.  
Feb. 17—Lillian Owen's Company of Marionettes, University Auditorium. "Jack and the Beanstalk" for the children in the afternoon. "Hynd Horn," "Gentle Alice Miller, the Robber's daughter" and "Miami" at the evening performance.  
Feb. 18-19—Basketball, Drake vs. Missouri.  
Feb. 21, 22—Local American Legion post gives motion picture show at Odeon Theater.  
Feb. 23, 24—The "Green Jug," musical comedy by journalism students.  
Feb. 25-26—Dramatic Art Club presents "Mrs. Bumpstead Leigh" for Tuesday Club public library benefit.  
Feb. 27-March 12—Evangelistic meeting at the Baptist Church.  
Mar. 4-5—Basketball, Kansas Aggies vs. Missouri.  
Mar. 9—Vocational Conference of the Women's Student Government Association opens with a woman's mass meeting.  
Mar. 12—Vocational Conference luncheon.  
March 16—Mabel Garrison, soprano, University Auditorium, under auspices of Phi Mu Alpha.  
Mar. 17—Miss Dortha Spennay of London will appear in solo dancing and in Greek drama given in English.  
Mar. 31—Memorial Society Essay Contest closes.

FINANCE SHOWS  
IMPROVEMENT

Entire Business Situation in U. S. Marked by Increased Confidence.

The general business situation throughout the country is marked by a greater confidence than was manifest in the last few weeks of 1920. There have been rumors of a panic and of numerous bankruptcies. These reports have had a demoralizing influence on the credit situation which was already on a strain. It is true that there have been many failures in business, but they were principally concerns which extend their business while prices were high and had no reserve to fall back on when the prices began to decline. The whole financial situation at present is more encouraging and the country is in a sounder financial condition than ever before in a like crisis.

In December there was practically no buying of silks, woolsens or cottons. The trade in these commodities has increased in volume substantially in the last month. In woolen goods there has been a reduction of from twenty to thirty per cent in the last few weeks, following a cut of about the same proportion in September.

The movement in live stock and grains has increased notably during the past month. The situation with regard to them has been nearly normal.

The important thing in the readjustment now taking place is to maintain an equilibrium in industry. Since the market for all industries is the people of the other industries, if all do not work together toward stabilization normal conditions can not come for any.

The money market eased up to a notable extent in the early part of January. The changes were most evident in the bankers' acceptances and funds temporarily employed on stock exchange collateral.

The Armour and the Swift reports to stockholders showed that they have had to go into the surplus accumulated in other years to pay the dividends of the last fiscal year. Armour's sales aggregated \$900,000,000, and the statement showed that the operation in this country resulted in a net loss, but including the Armour establishment in foreign countries netted a return of 2.4 per cent on the capital investment. The report of Swift & Company has not yet appeared.

As for the agricultural situation, excepting the New England States and Middle Atlantic States, it is found that the values of staple farm products and live stock have depreciated more than one third. Cotton, corn, wheat, cattle, wool, sheep and hides are today below pre-war values to the producer.

**Farmers Burn Chinch Bugs.**  
The death now of one female chinch bug deducts 11,250 from the chinch bug population in next fall's cornfield. That explains the agreement formed by 12 farmers in Sugar Grove district of St. Francois County to burn their field borders and fence rows where the bugs are now hiding.

**Centralia to Have Filling Station.**  
A contract for a filling station at Centralia has been closed by the Davis and Phillips Construction Co. The station will cost \$10,000 and will be completed in sixty days.

**Order Ice Cream made of real Cream from the Central Dairy.** Phone 819.—Adv.

## Political Announcements

**For Mayor.**  
We are authorized to announce Percy M. Kline as a candidate for the office of Mayor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce Dr. James Gordon as a candidate for re-election to the office of Mayor, subject to the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce Col. W. P. Moore as a candidate for the office of Mayor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce W. D. Shaw as a candidate for the office of Mayor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

**For City Attorney.**  
We are authorized to announce Geo. S. Starrett as a candidate for the office of City Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce W. M. Dinwiddie as a candidate for the office of City Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

**For City Marshal.**  
We are authorized to announce E. S. Rowland as a candidate for the office of City Marshal, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce Wm. R. Miller as a candidate for the office of City Marshal, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

**For Police Judge.**  
We are authorized to announce Sanford Shuckley as candidate for Police Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic City primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce M. L. Edwards as a candidate for re-election to the office of Police Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

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**For City Collector.**  
We are authorized to announce J. W. Sapp as a candidate for the office of City Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce Duskie Settles as a candidate for the office of City Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce Miss Hezlie Slate as a candidate for the office of City Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce Gray Whitesides as a candidate for the office of City Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce J. K. (Jim) Parker as a candidate for the office of City Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

**For City Assessor.**  
We are authorized to announce E. M. (Ed) Chandler as a candidate for the office of City Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce John D. Jones as a candidate for the office of City Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic City primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce J. H. Barnett as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

**For City Treasurer.**  
We are authorized to announce Horace C. Smith as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

We are authorized to announce Sara A. Hall as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

**Councilman—First Ward.**  
We are authorized to announce Ira L. Davis as a candidate for re-election for the office of councilman from the first ward, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

**Councilman—Second Ward.**  
We are authorized to announce F. Chess McQuitty as a candidate for the office of councilman from the second ward, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

**Councilman—Third Ward.**  
We are authorized to announce J. E. McPherson as a candidate for the office of councilman from the third ward, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, March 15, 1921.

**Councilman—Fourth Ward.**  
We are authorized to announce T. J. Rollhouse as a candidate for office of councilman from the fourth ward as an independent candidate.

**NOTICE OF EXECUTRIX.**  
Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Richard H. Jess, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of February 1921, by the Probate Court of Boone County, Missouri. All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said Letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said Estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the last insertion of the publication of this notice, they shall be forever barred.

ADDIE POLK JESSE, Executrix.  
Attest: H. A. Collier, Judge of Probate.  
Final insertion, March 4.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given, that Letters of administration with will annexed, on the estate of Margaret T. Evans, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 17th day of January, 1921, by the Probate Court of Boone County, Missouri. All persons having claims against

said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months after the date of granting said Letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of granting said Letters they shall be forever barred.  
This 17th day of January, 1921.  
J. H. Reid, Administrator with will annexed.  
Attest: H. A. Collier, Judge of Probate.  
Last insertion Feb. 17.

**ORDER OF PUBLICATION.**  
State of Missouri, )  
County of Boone, ) ss.  
In the Circuit Court, in vacation before April Term, 1921.  
Sarah Jane Clark, Plaintiff,  
vs. (26550) Defendant,  
Harrison Clark.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI, to the above named defendant, GREETING:  
Now on this 27th day of January, 1921, in the vacation before the April Term, 1921, of the Circuit Court of Boone County, Missouri, comes the plaintiff, by her attorney, and files her petition in suit herein duly verified by the affidavit of the plaintiff, and in said petition states that the defendant has absconded and absented himself from his usual place of abode in this state so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him.

It is therefore ordered, by the clerk of said court, in vacation, that the said defendant be notified by publication that the plaintiff by petition herein filed of date January 27th, 1921, has commenced against him in the Circuit Court of Boone County, Missouri, an action in equity, the immediate object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the defendant on the grounds of desertion.

It is further ordered by said clerk that the said defendant be and appear in this court on the first day of the next regular term thereof to be holden at the Court House in the City of Columbia, Boone County, Missouri, on MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1921, to answer or plead to said petition, or in default confessed, and judgment by default will be rendered against him in accordance with the prayer of plaintiff's petition.

It is further ordered that a copy here-

of be duly published at least once a week for four weeks successively in the Columbia Evening Missourian, a daily newspaper printed, published and circulated in said Boone County, and designated by plaintiff's attorney as most likely to give notice to said defendant; the last insertion of said order of publication in said newspaper to be at least fifteen days before the first day of said next term of said court.

A true copy from the record:  
WITNESS my hand as clerk of the circuit court of Boone County, Missouri, and the seal of said court. Done at office in Columbia, Missouri, this 27th day of January, 1921.

R. S. POLLARD, Clerk.  
(SEAL)  
Wm. H. Sapp, Atty. for Plff.  
Last insertion, Feb. 28.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17

University Auditorium

Auspices, Dramatic Arts Club

Remember also the Dramatic Arts Club—Tuesday Club play Feb. 25-26  
University Auditorium, Feb. 25—Christian College, Feb. 26.

You may not take much stock in  
the ouija board,  
And you may not believe in  
Ghosts, but—  
When you see a table dance  
across the room—  
Well—it just makes you wonder  
what's in

## The Green Jug

HALL THEATRE

FEBRUARY 23 and 24

## CLASSIFIED ADS

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## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from prize winning single-comb Rhode Island Reds. Best winter layers. Also place your order now for baby chicks. Mrs. Jno. N. Taylor, phone 543. T-143.

FOR SALE—Newly rebuilt Royal and 2 Underwood Typewriters. Guaranteed and will be kept in repair for one year. H. E. Reading, 817 Virginia Ave. T-1294.

FOR SALE—Dandy, fully modern brick house, hardwood floors, South side, close in; paved streets. 3 rooms and sun parlor below; 3 rooms, bath and sleeping porch above; full size concrete basement; good lot. \$7,750. Garey & Frasier, Exchange Nat. Bank Bldg. Phone 519 or 590-white. 1374.

FOR SALE—Fifty acre farm, on rock road 1½ miles from town, extra good seven-room house, hard wood floors, good barn, garage, chicken house, deep well, gasoline engine, plenty of fruit, fenced with woven wire, 40 acres in cultivation, 10 acres grass. If sold by March 1, \$12,000. Terms if wanted. Garey & Frasier, Realty Co., 414 Exchange National Bank Bldg., Phone 519. G-139.

FOR SALE—6-room fully modern home on Wilson Ave. Possession April 1. This is a real bargain. \$5,500.00. A 7-room fully modern home on Maryland Place, sleeping porch; garage; large shaded lot. \$7,500.00.

T. E. Wisdom Realty Co., Exchange National Bank Bldg. Phone 256. W-139.

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—3-room apartment. \$60. a month. Heat, light, gas and water furnished. Person renting to buy furniture. Furniture same as new, \$700. One-half block from University Campus and 3 blocks from Broadway. 208 S. 2nd St. A-140.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping apartment; living room, bed room, kitchenette and bath. Ample closet room, well furnished, lighted and heated. Garage. Convenient to "A-Z" School. Vacant March 1. Phone 606-white. H-141.

## SITUATION VACANT

MEN WANTED—to qualify for firemen, brakemen, experience unnecessary. Transportation furnished. Write A. Scoules, Supt., Gamble Bldg., St. Louis. 1094f

MEN WANTED—for Detective Work. Experience unnecessary. Write J. Canor, former U. S. Gov't Detective. St. Louis. 1094f

## LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Chi Omega pin. Call 988. C-139.

LOST—Jeweled Eta Upsilon Gamma pin. Finder please return to Lenore Lamson, Stephens College, or telephone 327-white. Reward. L-139.

LOST—Monday afternoon ladies' brown kid glove on Hudson ave. between University Farm and Gymnasium. Call 892.

black or return to R. O. T. C. headquarters. K-1364f.

## MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Five cents each will be paid at the Missouri office for copies of the Evening Missourian of February 7.

ANY LADIES interested in Spirella corsets call at 605 High St. or telephone 1223-white. T-135f.

FOR EXCHANGE—Two 4-room houses, large lots, near paved streets, for one of 5 or more rooms suitably located. Phone 1004-black. G-127f.

WANTED—Work as typist or clerk by University man student. Call 448-white. J-127f.

WANTED—Repair work on rubber tires for go-carts and baby carriages. Telephone 1314-black. N-86f.

## BOARD AND LODGING

FOR RENT—One furnished room for two or three men. 204 Price Ave. Phone 1075-white. D-140.

FOR RENT—One room, with board. 301 Waugh St. Phone 1355-black. H-123f.

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FOR RENT—Very desirable front room for men at 807 Rollins. Telephone 1351-green. D-137f.

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## LODGE NOTICES

ACACIA LODGE, No. 602 A. F. & A. M.

Stated communication Tuesday evening, February 15, at 7:30 p. m. Third degree.

H. L. Kempster, W. M. J. M. Long, Sec. Thilo Building. Hitt and Broadway

TWILIGHT LODGE No. 114 A. F. & A. M. Regular meetings second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

Victor Victor, Sec. E. Hawkins, W. M. Nowell Bldg.

I. O. O. F. LODGE NO. 207

Initiatory degree Monday, Feb. 14, 7:30 p. m. Visitors welcome. C. O. Whiteside, N. G. B. F. Baker, Sec.

## MISSOURI CHAPTER ORDER OF DE MOLA.

Will meet in regular session Wednesday, February 16, 1921, at Acacia Masonic Hall at 7:30 p. m.

K. P. Vanice, Scribe C. P. Boxley, M. C.